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Contest Could Have Been Staged in Quaker Town Yesterday.

### MACKS IN POOR SHAPE

Philadelphia, April 30.—It looked like a plain case of "cold feet," the postponement of today's ball game between the Nationals and Athletics by Manager Mack. One little shaver early this morning caused the local manager to call off his dogs. It rained less than ten minutes, but a chilly wind swept the city and while it would have been a bit uncomfortable at Shibe Park, the Griffins have played many games this spring under more adverse conditions. The plain truth is that the Athletics are not going any too well just now, neither are they drawing, and as this is a good deal of a predicament, it is hard to see how they will be in better shape.

For the final game here tomorrow Joe Boehling is slated to pitch, with Walter Johnson held in reserve. Both will be used if necessary to beat the Mackmen, for Griffith is determined to make it a win-or-lose of the three games played here. The Nationals will leave for Washington tomorrow immediately after the game, arriving about 10:30 o'clock, in time for all hands to get to bed early in preparation for the series with Frank Chance's Fighting Tanks from New York. The Tanks open at National Park Saturday.

Complaints will probably be made to President Ban Johnson about the location of the score board at Shibe Park, and when next the Nationals come here this board will be moved.

The score board is in a direct line with every left hand batter's eye, making it hard to see balls pitched by a south-paw.

Manager Mack is violating one of the National agreement rules, or rather the constitution, for it will be remembered last winter when the Baseball Player's Fraternity made certain demands of the National Convention, one of which was that no advertising signs or score boards should be placed in the outfield at any ball park, said signs were within the direct vision of a batter.

The score board at Shibe Park is confusing to Milan and Moeller, Griffith left last night, the Athletics here, the figures continually changing before their eyes made it hard for them to see the ball from the pitcher.

Manager Griffith will confer with the umpires tomorrow, get their opinions to back up his own, and then will file a protest to President Johnson.

Complaint is also likely to be made against the dressing room here provided for visiting teams. According to Manager Griffith, the quarters are inadequate and much too small to accommodate a big squad of players.

Despite the idle day, during which time most of the Nationals lounged around the hotel lobby, the Griffins today were in a happy frame of mind. Any time a victory is scored over the Athletics here, everybody from the Old Fox down is in good humor.

Pitcher Doc Ayer deserves a lot of credit for stepping into the breach at a critical stage and halting the slugging Athletics. Ayer is one of Griffith's young pitchers who has delivered a perfect game. His perfect control, backed up by plenty of speed and a puzzling side-arm delivery, made him a hard man for any rival club to beat. Ayer will, unless all signs fail, win a lot of ball games for the Griffins this season. He looked like a veteran in these yesterday instead of a youngster trying to win his spurs.

Manager Griffith announces that for the present he will continue to use the "twisted batting order" in operation yesterday and that both Henry and Almuth will be placed ahead of Morgan for Ray is not hitting the ball just yet, and unless he starts, will be kept in seventh position.

The Philadelphia newspapers today had a lot to say about that cleverly executed triple play, while the work of Ed Foster has attracted so much attention that the Philadelphia Times tonight devoted half a column extolling the midge third sacker, going as far as to say that Foster been in the game all last season playing the kind of ball he is putting up now. It is extremely doubtful if the Mackmen would have won the 25 American League pennant.

Weather indications for tomorrow state that it will be fair and warmer, and the Nationals can hardly wait for the time set to start the game. There is a feeling of confidence in camp that victory always brings, which bodes ill for the house of Mack. Two victories out of three games played here is the mark at which the Griffins will accept, and if confidence counts, tomorrow's battle can already be chalked up to the credit of the Washington club.

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## COLLIER BOOKED FOR SYRACUSE

Young College Hurler May Be Shipped to New York State Club.

### OTHER LOCAL COMMENT

"Omo" Class Takes Franchise in N. W. S. S. League—Marquette Circuit Meets.

By CHARLES W. SWAN.  
Harry Collier, from the University of Georgia, who has been working out with the Nationals this spring, will more than likely be sent to the Syracuse club of the New York State League within the next few days. Although nothing official has been learned from Manager Griffith as to Collier's destination, it has been known for some time that the Nationals' pilot thinks a little minor league experience would prove a big help to the collegian. It was learned that Collier had been at Collier for some time, and last night, in response to a telegram, Manager Griffith admitted that he might send Collier to Syracuse.

The Omo class of the Brightwood church will take the franchise vacated by the Calvary team several weeks ago in the Northwest Sunday School League.

The Commissioners will more than likely be awarded the vacant franchise in the Departmental League this afternoon. President C. C. Clark, of the Clerks' circuit, stated yesterday that he would be able to state definitely just what club should be awarded the franchise this afternoon.

A meeting of the Marquette League will be held tomorrow night at the National Guard Armory, when final plans for the opening of the season Monday will be discussed. Secretary Harry Collier, of the Amateur Association, will turn out the first ball, when Trinity and Tennyaltown clash in the curtain raiser. This league promises to play a much more interesting season than the one which closed last season, and as good sized crowds always witness the games, another successful season is looked forward to by every club in the circuit.

## GEORGETOWN DEFEATS HOLY CROSS BY 2 TO 1

King Kelley Pitches Good Ball and Blue and Gray Grabs Fast Battle.

### DAILY IS THE SHINING LIGHT

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Georgetown, April 30.—A pitching duel between Kelley, of Georgetown, and McManus, of Holy Cross, at Pitkin Field brought victory to Georgetown today. Kelley pitched a perfect game, allowing only one run, two hits and two errors. McManus pitched a perfect game, allowing only one run, two hits and two errors.

Save for a bad third inning for the locals, in which McManus passed three strikes and Saunders, Holy Cross short, made an error, the home team were about even. Holy Cross started to mix it up in the eighth, but was able to put away only one run. Score: Georgetown, 2; Holy Cross, 1.

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Georgetown, April 30.—The Cubs made three hits off Sale and a youngster named Hopper, and that was the game. There is a feeling of confidence in camp that victory always brings, which bodes ill for the house of Mack. Two victories out of three games played here is the mark at which the Griffins will accept, and if confidence counts, tomorrow's battle can already be chalked up to the credit of the Washington club.

## CARROLL RUNNERS OFF FOR GOTHAM

Yellow and White Aggregation to Run in Evening Mail Marathon.

Headed by Dan Healy, the Carroll Institute track team will leave Union Station at 4 o'clock this afternoon for New York, where the speedy local Marathoners will take part in the Evening Mail Marathon run tomorrow afternoon.

Capt. Lynch, of the local crew, is already in New York and will meet the remainder of the team at the station. The following men will compose the party this afternoon: Prof. Joyce, Healy, Williams, Covert, Bloomer, and Downey. The C. I. team will compete as a section of the Catholic League, and will make an effort to win the trophy offered in this event.

## TIGERS DEFEAT TARHEELS

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Princeton, N. J., April 30.—The Tigers downed the University of North Carolina team, 3 to 2, this afternoon in a somewhat uninteresting game. Copeland was in the box for Princeton and Williams for North Carolina. The latter pitched a good game allowing but five hits to Copeland's surrender of eight. Score: Princeton, 3; North Carolina, 2.

## HAMMONDS, 15; WRIGHTS, 15

The Hammonds defeated the Alfred Wright club yesterday in a free hitting game, 15 to 15. The feature of the game was the catching of Irving Sengstack.

## Royal Meteor Beats Grasmere in Stake Race

Butwell Outrides McTaggart in Newark Selling Event. Finish a Great One.

### FREE HANDICAP TO ISADORA

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Newark, N. J., April 30.—In one of the most spectacular finishes ever witnessed here "Gun Boat" Butwell, riding Royal Meteor, won by a nose over "Messenger" McTaggart, riding Grasmere, this afternoon, thereby winning the title champion rider of America.

The race was the Newark selling stakes. Grasmere was the favorite at 3 to 5. The horses were neck and neck and at the far turn it looked like Grasmere's race. Capt. Walker's leaders won the Free Handicap from Tarka, and Flying Fairy in the two-year-old class. "Wizard" Bedwell's alika were carried to victory by Sir Edgar. A magnificent colt called Scorpius, owned by the Grasmere stable, and only had racing luck caused his defeat. Dave Gideon, owner of Scorpius, is reported to have made one of his old-time plunges and been out all night, so that he lost a tough bet.

**FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Sir Edgar, 10; Taylor, 4 to 1; out, won. Scorpius, 10; Fairweather, 5 to 1; even, 2 to 1, 2 to 1, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**SIXTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**SEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**EIGHTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**NINTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**TENTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**ELEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twelfth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Thirteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Fourteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Fifteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Sixteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Seventeenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Eighteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Nineteenth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twentieth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-first RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-second RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-third RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-fourth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-fifth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-sixth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-seventh RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

**Twenty-eighth RACE—Three-year-olds; selling; purse, \$500; five and a half furlongs.** Louie Travers, 10; McTaggart, 9 to 1; 1 to 4, out, won. Harold, 10; Murphy, 9 to 1; 1 to 2, 1 to 2, second. Time, 1:10.40.

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Philadelphia, April 30.—Walter Johnson is rapidly losing his effectiveness against Connie Mack's Athletics, for the reason that the Athletics are not hitting him. During the game here Tuesday, Frank Baker hit himself with a secure toe hold every time at bat and succeeded in ramming the ball safe to right field. Amos Strunk did the same thing, and it was Strunk's double that tied the score.

If Johnson were inclined to be wild, like Cannon or Engel, for instance, he would be more effective against the Athletics. The Athletics are the most dangerous club in the league during a close game. Most of them are natural, hard hitters. They wait until a pitcher gets in a hole and is forced to put the ball over. Then comes a crash and some outfielder's back is seen in the distance as he sprints after a flyin' ball.

Connie Mack's benchmen still wear those atrocious caps of the vintage of 1905. The tattered leader declares he will never switch to the more comfortable style of baseball caps. "I'd have 'em wear wooden shoes, if I thought they would win ball games," Manager Mack says.

The Athletics' home uniforms this season are similar to those worn by the Nationals, white flannel with a thin black stripe running lengthwise. To top off, the navy blue knickerbockers are provided. These coats are dark blue with the usual elephants head of white material emblemized on both sleeves.

But the style of the caps, Mack refuses to change. Washington fans know what they look like. They have seen them often.

For the first time since he has been pitching baseball an obnoxious fan jumped on Walter Johnson during the game he pitched here last Tuesday.

From the third base pavilion the big burly wife epithets at the pitcher, keeping up a running fire during the game Johnson paid no attention to the pest, but Capt. McBride spoke to Empire Evans about the matter and Evans started to have the man removed from the park. The ump would have gone through with the man but Johnson himself intervened. "That fellow paid his money to come in and see the game for the purpose of rooting—he may stay. He don't bother me," said the great pitcher.

The dressing-room at Shibe Park for the visiting teams has been made up to accommodate at once, but are forced to dress in relays. The youngsters wait outside until the veterans have either finished dressing or discarded their tops.

Such a state of affairs could easily be remedied by the judicious expenditure of a little money.

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